

BATTLE TO DEATH ON PILOT HILL

Convicts Made to Stand Against the Posse, but White Flag Saved Many from Death—  
All the Guards Set Free—Officers and Soldiers Are in Pursuit and Hope to Surround  
the Desperate Men in a Rough Country.

STORY OF  
PILOT HILL  
BATTLE.

The Convicts Forced  
M'Donough to Show  
White Flag.

One Hundred Shots Were  
Exchanged During  
the Fight.

FREE MEN ARE RELEASED AND  
PRISONERS WILL NOW BE  
SHOT DOWN ON SIGHT.

SACRAMENTO, July 28.—A special to the Bee from one of its correspondents who is with a posse in pursuit of the escaped convicts, says that the accidental discharge of a pistol by one of the convicts led to the fighting last night at Pilot Hill between the Auburn posse and the convicts. The posse was close at hand and when the report of the pistol was heard, opened fire in the direction from which the report came.

Convict Howard was shot through the abdomen. He immediately shot himself through the head with a revolver and died in the wagon.

The convicts then forced J. B. McDonough, the general overseer, to stand up in the wagon and wave a white handkerchief. The posse, as soon as the white flag went up, stopped firing for fear of killing the free men. The convicts jumped out of the wagon, shielding themselves with free men and started afoot.

**GUARDS SET FREE.**

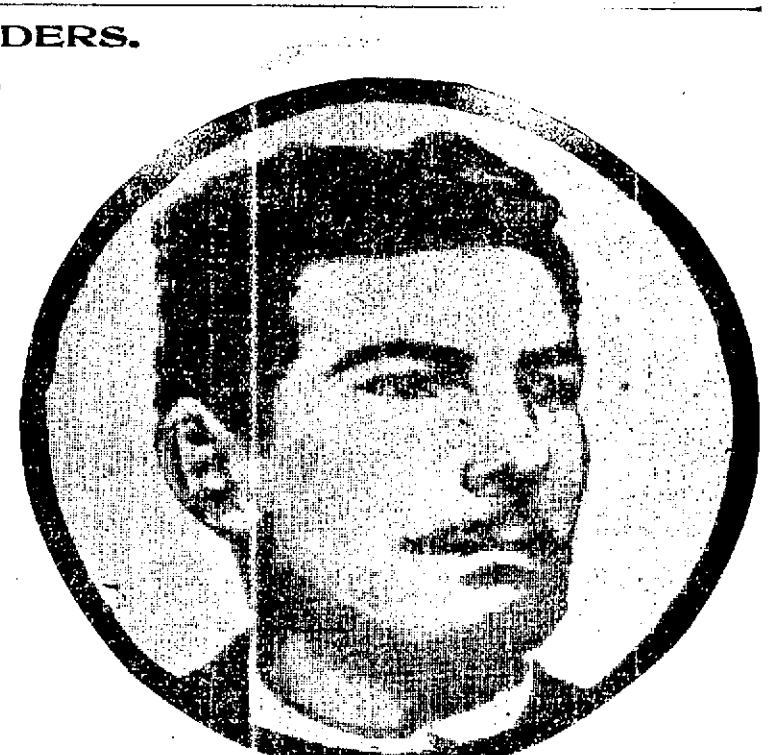
At 10 o'clock last night, the convicts turned Bernard Schlottman, Joe Foster and the following



R. M. GORDAN.



A. SEAVIS.



FRED HOWARD

THE THREE DESPERATE CONVICT LEADERS.

prison officers loose:

J. C. McDonough, G. E. Jeter, J. F. Dolan, W. J. Hopton and Thomas J. Seavey.

They were released in brush about four miles south of Diehl's place and came into Diehl's about 6 o'clock this morning.

John Klendendorff, one of the guards, tumbled out of the wagon during the fight at Pilot Hill and escaped unhurt.

This makes all the free men accounted for and safe.

At 10 o'clock last night, Convicts Woods, Theron and Eldridge left the others. Woods is said to be the coolest and most intelligent among the escapes. He never showed any excitement during the firing and gave directions to the convicts with great coolness.

Theron claims he planned the escape. Convict Gordon left the gang at Mormon island. He is well armed.

**HAD DYNAMITE.**

The escaped convicts had a satchel containing dynamite which they dropped on the prison grounds.

Diehl says the negro, Seavis, was very insolent and ordered everybody around while at his

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GOVERNOR  
ACTED  
PROMPTLY.

Assists the Prison Officials in Every Way Possible.

Reward Offered for the Capture of the Escaped Convicts.

SACRAMENTO, July 28.—In addition to the standing reward of \$50 offered by the State Prison Directors for the capture of an escaped prisoner, Governor Pardee last night offered a reward of \$100 for the capture of each of the convicts now at large.

In view of the fact that the present appropriation for the capture of fugitives from justice is not sufficient to provide money enough to pay the entire reward offered by the Governor in the present instance, the State Board of Examiners has consented to a deficiency being created.

The promptness on the part of the Governor's office in complying with the request of the prison officials for aid and arms was the subject of favorable comment by every one on the ground.

The early despatch of the militia of Placerville to Folsom and the detachment of the Sanitary Corps of the National Guard from this city to Placerville, notwithstanding that considerable red tape had to be unwound before the various requests for aid and troops could be complied with, elicited much praise.

Yesterday morning Private Secretary Nye telegraphed to the Governor, who was in the Big Basin, informing him of the break

at Folsom Prison.

The Governor did not receive the message until 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon and he immediately left Big Basin and proceeded to Boulder Creek, at which place he called up Private Secretary Nye at the Governor's office in this city about 6 o'clock in the evening.

The Chief Executive was anxious to get all the news and his private secretary told him all there was to be told.

Governor Pardee said he would come to Sacramento if his presence here was determined necessary, but Mr. Nye told him that under the conditions as they existed, he did not think the Governor should take the trouble to come here and interrupt his vacation.

ESCAPED CONVICTS  
CHARGED WITH MURDER

SACRAMENTO, July 28.—The coroner's jury last night in the case of Guard W. L. Cotter rendered a verdict of murder against all of the convicts who escaped. The inquest was held at the Folsom prison.

NEWSBOYS WILL  
HOLD MEETING

SAN FRANCISCO, July 28.—The San Francisco newsboys have called a meeting for this evening at their headquarters, 119 Larkin street, this city. All newsboys are requested to be present.

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BAKING POWDER  
Absolutely Pure  
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WOMEN  
LEARN A  
LESSON.

Trying Times For Wives of the Men Used as Shields.

Thought That Their Loved Ones Would Be Murdered.

SACRAMENTO, July 28.—The Bee says:

One of the striking features of yesterday's prison break was the

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FRENCH KIDNEY BEANS 2 tins, 25c  
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behavior of the women within the guard lines. Many of the officers and guards are men of family and occupy cottages on the hill at the entrance to the prison grounds.

Miss Wilkinson, the daughter of the Warden, presides over his household, and she was the only woman in the bleak residence at the west end of the stone prison.

Her horror may be imagined when she was awakened at an early hour yesterday morning by loud raps on her door by the Japanese servant and the cries: "Oh, Miss Wilkinson, please get up; they are killing your father; they are cutting him to pieces down in the Captain's office."

**NOTICE TO WILKINS.**

The state of mind of Miss Wilkinson, suddenly awakened as she thus was, from a sound slumber, may be imagined. She was self-possessed enough to direct the servant to go to the room of State Prison Director J. H. Wilkins, who was visiting the prison, and give him the alarm.

Mr. Wilkins arose hastily, but before either he or Miss Wilkinson

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ORDERS  
TO SHOOT  
ON SIGHT.

Officers and Militia Trying to Corner the Convicts.

M'Donough Sends Word That He Has Been Released.

SACRAMENTO, July 28.—A special to the Bee from Folsom, received at noon, says:

The first communication received from any of the prison guards who were taken by the convicts reached here from Cool,

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Your choice of offices in the **New Union Savings Bank Building**  
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**\$3,100**  
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An Individual Steel Safe in our Safe Deposit Vaults will hold a fortune in bonds, stocks, notes and other securities, and keep it free from danger of loss by fire or burglary.  
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**THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS**  
BROADWAY AND TWELFTH  
Resources - - - \$11,000,000.00  
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E. C. HAGAR, Assistant Cashier



# GREAT REQUIEM MASS IN SISTINE CHAPEL

## All the Cardinals in Rome, the Diplomatic Corps and Roman Nobility Were Present.

ROME, July 28.—The first of the three great requiem masses under the auspices of the Sacred College for the repose of the soul of Pope Leo was celebrated this morning in the Sistine Chapel.

All the cardinals now in Rome, the diplomatic corps, the Roman nobility and many other distinguished persons were present. No such mass had been said in Rome since the death of Pius IX.

### WHITE CATAFALQUE.

In the Sistine Chapel stood a huge white catafalque, ten feet high and on it, on two cushions, rested a triple crown of gold, shining brightly in the light of a hundred candles. The catafalque completely hid the altar. Flanking the catafalque on benches sat all the cardinals of the Sacred College. They wore scarlet caps. At their feet, on stools, were the conclavists, or secretaries, in violet. In the narrow aisle behind, between the benches and the walls, the archbishops, patriarchs, monsignors and monks knelt in picturesque confusion.

### DIPLOMATS PRESENT.

At the four corners of the catafalque burned candles ten feet high. Beside these stood Noble Guards, motionless, with drawn swords. Other Noble Guards were placed at the entrance. Immediately beyond in reserved places, were all the diplomats. The intermingled uniforms of France, Russia, Prussia, Austria, Spain, Portugal, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Guatemala and Bavaria, formed a vivid contrast with the simple evening dress of the Roman princes and crepe veils and black dresses of the princesses, who sat directly across the aisle. In addition, two galleries had been erected. One in the gallery on the left were about a hundred ladies, all in deep black. In the right gallery were the special missions, among them being Sir Thomas Esmond, and Captain Donelan, representing the Irish Parliament. Beneath the galleries the priests and laymen who had been fortunate enough to secure tickets, but who were not distinguished enough for special places, were packed in dense confusion. Swiss and Noble Guards, chamberlains and other Vatican officials, lined the aisles.

Michael Angelo's frescoes on ceiling and walls seemed merely faint reflections of the brilliant mass of color that stretched below from door to altar.

### GRAND MUSIC.

The Abbe Perosi, Italy's famous oratorio composer, waved his baton and the silence was broken by the notes of the Dies Irae.

These who know the Vatican well say the matchless Sistine choir never sang as it did today. Through the historic chapel the voices of boys and men rose and fell and swelled triumphantly as if with songs of Paradise, the voices dying almost to a whisper at the mention of death.

### AT THE ALTAR.

At the altar Cardinal Serafino Vannutelli was assisted by Cardinals Agliardi, Vincenzo Vannutelli, Satolli and Richards, wearing white mitres and glistening vestments. Satolli, always erect and stately, looked doubly so beside the feeble form and snow-white head of the aged Cardinal Richards, archbishop of Paris.

### GRAND CHANT.

Then came the singing of the Sanctus, modulated almost into a whisper. At present knelt as the choir ceased intoning its grand chant, and the dead silence of the consecration which followed was suddenly broken by the clash of arms as the Noble Guards presented swords.

### PROMINENT VISITORS.

Cardinal Gibbons had no part in the celebration of the mass. He sat beside Cardinal Martini, among the extraordinary array of cardinals, among whom Cardinal Gotti, who, instead of a scarlet cape, wore the white mantle of the Carmelite Order, was one of the most prominent.

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GUARD HOUSE AT FOLSOM PRISON, WITH CORNERSTONE CUT BY THE NOTORIOUS ABE MAJORS.

## NAMES OF THE ESCAPED CONVICTS.

- HARRY ELDRIDGE, 30 years, burglary, sent from O. Kland, June, 1903.
- R. M. GORDON, 45 years, robbery, sent from Sacramento, February 23, 1900.
- JOSEPH THERON, life, robbery, sent from San Francisco, June 29, 1898.
- RAY FAHEY, life, robbery, sent from Sacramento, January 23, 1891.
- EDWARD DAVIS, 33 years, robbery, sent from San Francisco, January 3, 1902.
- FRANK CASE, life, robbery, sent from Los Angeles, February 9, 1902.
- ALBERT SEAVIS, 25 years, robbery, sent from San Francisco, August 8, 1900.
- JOHN H. WOODS, life, robbery, sent from San Francisco, January 2, 1902.
- FRANK MILLER, 12 years, burglary, sent from Fresno April, 1903.
- JOHN JOSEPH ALLISON, 4 years, robbery, sent from San Joaquin, January 7, 1903.
- JOSEPH MURPHY, 14 years, burglary and bigamy, sent from Contra Costa.
- FRED HOWARD, 15 years, robbery, sent from Sacramento, April 17, 1898.
- JAMES ROBERTS, 20 years, robbery, sent from San Francisco, April 6, 1902.

## STORY OF PILOT HILL BATTLE.

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place.

Company H of Placerville, with forty-five men and as many more civilians, left Pilot Hill at 4:30 this morning on the trail of the escapees.

### FREE MEN ESCAPE.

As all the free men have escaped there will be trouble if the convicts are found, for there will be only the convicts to deal with. The convicts are somewhat short of ammunition and are without supplies, having lost them in the fight at Pilot Hill. All of them had small lunches in their pockets, but when the shooting began they threw them into a box in the wagon and a few minutes later fled. Nearly all of them have a little money.

### HUNDRED SHOTS FIRED.

The free men had a most remarkable escape. Three of them have bullet scratches and abrasions. Seavey was burned on the cheek by a bullet, Schlottman was grazed under the chin, the mark showing plainly, and Hopton was grazed on the back of the neck.

The convicts debated whether to kill their hostages or turn them loose. There was a difference of opinion among them as to what was best to do but they finally decided to let their captives go unharmed.

About 100 shots were exchanged in the battle at Pilot Hill.

## ORDERS TO SHOOT.

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El Dorado county, and was left there by General Overseer J. G. McDonough, who passed that place some time early this morning.

He left written instructions that the message be telephoned to the prison.

It merely stated that he had secured his freedom and was on his way to the prison and made no reference to the fight at Pilot Hill last night, or made mention of any of the other free men supposed to be with him.

Colonel H. L. Seymour is still here directing the movements of the troops. He has sent Company H of Placerville out already and will probably have Company C of Nevada City out to back up the posse.

The general plan is to have the several Sheriffs posse work wide of the convicts, who, it is believed,

# PRISONERS IN ROUGH COUNTRY.

## Military is in Pursuit of the Desperate Men.

### Escaped Convicts Believed to Be in Vicinity of Lotus.

SACRAMENTO, July 28.—A special to the Bee from Pilot Hill received at 9 o'clock this morning, says:

It is believed the escaped convicts are in the vicinity of Lotus, seven or eight miles from Pilot Hill, where the fight in which Convict Howard was killed last night took place, and the military company is in pursuit.

Company H of Placerville, under the command of Captain C. A. Swisher, left Pilot Hill at 4:30 this morning, headed for Lotus. Accompanying the militia are nearly fifty civilians, all heavily armed, who are prepared to render all assistance within their power.

The country in which the escaped prisoners have sought safety is very rough with a heavy growth of timber and underbrush.

Farmers in all parts of the invaded district have joined in the hunt for the escaped convicts. They are apprehensive lest harm

come to those in the sparsely settled country with a band of desperate men making a fight for liberty.

Orders have been sent out from the prison to all pursuers who could be reached and to the militia to shoot without warning. Now that the free men have been released there will be no terrorizing with the fugitives when their pursuers come upon them, and a hard fight may be looked for some time this afternoon or this evening at the latest.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the County Clerk today:

- John W. Baggett, Fruitvale, over 21.
- Carrie Oliver, Oakland, over 18.
- Harry A. Dutton, Oakland, over 21.
- Katherine C. Roberts, Oakland, over 18.
- James B. Macanah, San Francisco, over 21.
- Evelyn A. Smyth, San Francisco, over 18.
- Chester McNeal, San Francisco, over 21.
- Emma Stafford, San Francisco, over 18.
- Charles M. Mannon, Ukiah, over 21.
- Eva L. Bramlet, Fresno, over 18.

# WOMEN LEARN A LESSON.

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could reach the front of the stone residence, the bloody scene at the Captain's office had been enacted, and her father, with the Captain of the Guard and other officers, flanked by armed convicts, was being marched across the dusty prison farm in the direction of Mormon island bridge, over a mile away.

### HELPLESS WOMEN.

The horror experienced by the helpless women as they saw either their fathers or husbands marched away by the frenzied convicts, or heard the wild shrieks of triumph of the escaping prisoners, may be better imagined than described.

The women of the prison have learned one lesson, and that is that the vast number of convicts there have learned to regard their official captors as their natural enemies. Too well they know the savage character of the ringleaders of the conspirators, and their fears, conjured up scenes of torture and of death, in which their loved ones were the victims.

### GOOD NEWS.

It was only when Warden Wilkinson, about an hour later, reappeared at the prison, hatless and with clothing cut by the knife thrusts in the bloody office encounter, but with news of the prisoners and their hostages, that the women were reassured. But even then all the officers were not accounted for, and the day was one of terrible suspense, which only the return of the free men, all weary and some wounded besides, alleviated.

### WOMEN WORRIED.

Mrs. Frank Lockhart, wife of the Lieutenant of the night watch, said to a Bee reporter:

"I shall never forget the yelling of those men in the yard. I believe I shall hear it to my dying day. I looked down and saw my husband with his gun, but he did not use it. I could not understand then why he did not shoot, but of course I know now. He is out with the posse now in pursuit of the convicts and I pray he will come back unhurt. But you cannot tell about these things."

### A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.

Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles, Hemorrhoids, or any other ailment of the rectum, will be cured by Dr. JAZO OINTMENT. It cures you in 50 cents.

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We know our prices are right, for we make it our business to make them right. We know you will save money by paying our prices, for they are the lowest prices on the Pacific Coast, from Seattle to San Diego, San Francisco included. Below is a partial list only. Every article in the store is sold at the very lowest possible price, and we ask you to compare the prices with what you have been paying.

California Syrup of Figs.....30c	Men's Toilet Cream.....15c	Stump Puller.....30c
Vin Maiana.....\$1.00	Labache Powder.....30c	Burnt Sulfur, 2 for.....15c
Garnet Oil.....25c	Rubifram.....15c	S. S. S., 1/2 lb. size.....\$1.00
Harlem Oil, 6 for.....25c	Porina.....55c	Scalp-It.....30c
Jay's Hair Health.....35c	Dr. Charles' Fish Food, 1 lb. size.....50c	Antipilestige.....30c
4711 White Rose Soap.....15c		Pierce's Tablets.....15c
Lyon's Tooth Powder.....15c		Carter's Pills, 2 for.....25c
Arctic Tooth Soap.....15c		Abner's Plasters.....10c
M. & L. Florida Water.....45c		Reemom's Gum, 3 for.....10c
Apent's Water.....25c		Pine's Cherry Compound.....65c
Lola's Tooth Cream.....50c		Abner's Remedies.....15c
Sugar-Milk (Mere's).....15c		Abner's Milk.....70c
Malvina Cream.....30c		Honeydew Water.....25c
Lois' Mouth Cream.....50c		Ayer's Hair Vigor.....65c
R. & G. Peppermint.....25c		Machines.....75c
Hoff's Malt Extract.....60c		Onion Oil.....35c
Tellow's Suspend Powder.....10c		Pineapple Cakes.....15c
Schlenker's Pills.....15c		Pinkham's Compound.....15c
Wizard Oil.....35c		Rowell's Sperm.....35c
Smith's Catarrh Cure.....35c		Cole's Peppermint.....75c
Angier's Emulsion.....35c		Duffy's Malt Whiskey.....75c
Warner's Safe Cure.....70c		Pink Pills.....30c
Abbey's Salts.....20c		Bromo Quinine.....10c
Gorman's Cologne.....15c		Calumet.....10c
Glycerophylline.....75c		Pierce's Description.....65c
Hall's Hair Renewer.....65c		Pierce's Discovery.....85c
Shaker's Hair Soap.....15c		Mullin's Food, large.....55c
Lash's Rites.....75c		Good's Peppermint.....15c
Sheffield's Tooth Paste.....15c		Hall's Catarrh Cure.....50c
Calder's Powder.....15c		Castoria.....25c
Pearl's Soap.....15c		King's Discovery.....35c
Hoff's Germinal.....15c		Pond's Extract.....60c
Manallin.....60c		White Ribbon Liner Cure, ONE DOLLAR SIZE.....85c
Eye Cream Balm.....35c		Wine Caramel.....15c
Scott's Restorative.....35c		Brandell's Pills.....15c
Scott's Emulsion.....35c		Piso Cure.....15c
Ozomulsion.....75c		

### This Week's Specials

LEE'S ABSORBENT COTTON.....lb. 20c	WAKELEE'S CAMELLINE (You have always paid 35c).....30c
S. S. S., 1 lb. size.....90c	Cut-rate Stores charge 65c
SHAVING MIRRORS.....25c	50c size.....25c
Plate glass on adjustable black iron.....50c	
WHITE CASTILE SOAP.....bar, 20c	Regular 25c to 35c bars.
JAPANESE SOAP, 3 cakes 25c	Fine Gilch Shears free with each box.

## Collins Bros.

### DRUGGISTS

MASONIC TEMPLE 1271 AND WASHINGTON STREETS

There are only four more days in this month and we want them to be the busiest days of the summer. Our Great Bag Sale closes on the 31st. We are offering wonderful values at 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

## JUDGE OVERRULES THE DEMURRER.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., July 28.—Judge Howell overruled the demurrer in the case against State Senator Frank Harris, charged with accepting a bribe of \$3,000 from Lieutenant-Governor John A. Lee, and called the case for trial today.

Morton Jourdan, attorney for Harris, immediately filed a plea in abatement and a recess was taken to give Attorney-General Crow time to prepare a reply. The contention of the plea was that Attorney-General Crow had no right to be in the Grand Jury room during the investigation resulting in the indictments.

### BACK FROM OUTING.

Albert and Walter Selby have returned from their summer outing at Cape Cod.



**Ladies' Gowns**  
J. Keller for the past seven years,  
ate stock  
**HIMSELF**  
L'Autorite Fashion Academy of New  
the art of cutting and fitting the



MODEL YACHTS SAIL ON LAKE—  
ADVANCE GUARD TO  
RACE AGAIN.

SPORTS

CORBETT DOES NOT BELIEVE THE  
BEAR STORY—BRITT AND  
O'KEEFE CONFIDENT.

LOCALS TO PLAY  
ANGELS.

RECRUITS OPEN WITH SOUTH-  
EASTERN TOMORROW—FRANKS  
DUE TODAY.

The Sacramento and San Francisco baseball clubs of the Pacific Coast League will spend the next two weeks in Northern territory. The Senators battle with Seattle this week and return to Portland next week for another series with the Browns. San Francisco is engaged with the Portland bunch this week and next week they will take Sacramento's place as opponents-in-chief of the Pacific ball tossers. While all this is going on, Oakland and Los Angeles will fight out a two weeks' series in San Francisco with the usual two games a week on this side of the bay.

"Buck" Franks arrived in this city last night, and will play with the Recruits against Los Angeles at Recreation Park tomorrow. Franks played a short stop for the champion Oakland team last year and is generally considered to be one of the best shortstops that ever played in the California league. He is a crack fielder and seldom hits below .300. He will prove a tower of strength to the local team, which has been particularly weak in the short field. As soon as Devereaux is back in the game, the fans can expect the local team to win the majority of the games and get into the race again. There are over a hundred games yet to be played before the season closes and Oakland may yet win the flag.

It is reported in baseball circles that a new second baseman will be seen in the Los Angeles lineup this week. He is said to be on the road and will arrive in time to play tomorrow afternoon. Captain Dillon refuses to divulge his name or even confirm the report.

Owing to their inability to arrive in time from Seattle, the Oakland team did not play Los Angeles this afternoon, but the series will open tomorrow at Recreation Park in San Francisco. The recruits will arrive from the North tonight.

All pitchers, both great and small, look alike to Frank Dillon, the hard hitting captain of the Los Angeles team, and his batting average continues to present upward. He now leads the league in batting by a large margin and his percentage is close to the 400 mark. Those who have batted 250 and over up to and including July 19 are: Dillon, .371; Ryan, .358; Meskimen, .353; Corbett, .342; Van Buren, .341; Taylor, .339; Bonanza, .327; Egan, .326; Irvine, .305; C. Smith, .304; Townsend, .304; O. Graham, .292; Zinsaar, .290; Schwartz, .287; J. Smith, .286; McLachlan, .285; Mumford, .284; Lumley, .284; Mearns, .281; O'Hara, .280; Ross, .280; Jansing, .279; C. Smith, .279; Thomas, .268; Krug, .267; Casey, .266; Thomas, .265; Krug, .264; "Spec" Hurt, .263; Andrews, .261; Lehman, .260; Anderson, .256; Leahy, .253; Newton, .250.

WILL RACE AGAIN.

OLD CAMPAIGNER, ADVANCE  
GUARD, WILL START AT  
SARATOGA MEET.

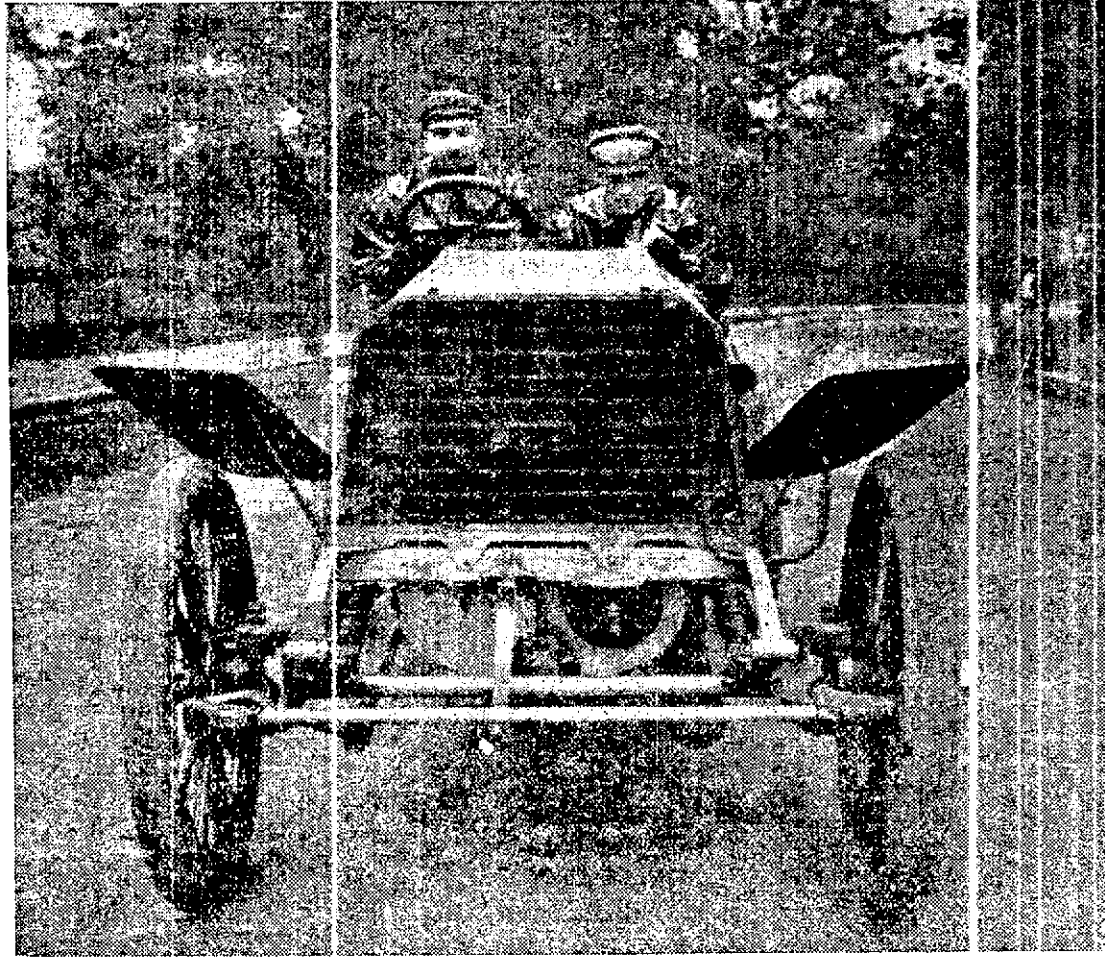
Advance Guard, the famous old California horse that won the Ingleside races when a three-year-old, will go on the turf again, says a recent dispatch from the East. His owner, Shadish, expects the great racer will be started at the Saratoga races with the fastest horses in the country. A few weeks ago, it was rumored that Advance Guard had been retired from the turf, but this latest dispatch refutes any such statement. The horse was once one of the most popular runners of the coast. He had a pleasing way of making a big sprint on the home stretch and coming out ahead. The bookies nearly always made him a favorite on account of his excellent performance.

REVIVE COLLEGE  
BICYCLE RACE.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Plans are under consideration for the re-establishment next year of the defunct Interstate Bicycle Race Association. National Amateur Champion Harley, who is a scion of a Columbia, Ohio, has been in consultation with the manager of the former Yale cycle club, and together they agreed to make an effort to put cycling back in its former place among college sports. Inasmuch as Columbia and Yale were the prime movers and most frequent victors in the former championship meetings, their efforts are likely to be backed up by the other colleges.

VICTORIA, B. C., July 28.—A letter received by the steamer Tosa Maru from the Orient states that the Japanese press is still maintaining a most resolute stand on the Manchurian question.

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MODELS RACE ON JEFF'S WOUND IS THINK STORY IS  
LAKE MERRITT. ALL RIGHT. A MYTH.

MINIATURE YACHTS SAILED SEVERAL INTERESTING RACES YESTERDAY.

At the regular weekly miniature yacht races of the San Francisco Yacht Club yesterday afternoon, the local crew sailed for the first time on Lake Merritt, and carried off the pennant. The model is owned by J. H. Todd and L. S. Adams. The San Francisco Yacht Club last week the pennant did not show up to defend it.

Vice Commodore D. London's Sloop, a new craft, was given her trial trip. After being properly explained and tuned up, she will probably be able to show considerable speed. The little boat is a very pretty model and somewhat remarkable trip, though she is slightly larger.

Following are the official times of the races:  
First race—1. Skate, Todd and Adams, 12 minutes 22 seconds; 2. Ann, William Rockner, 11 minutes 10 seconds; 3. Sally, H. London, did not finish. Ellen, W. A. Tracy, did not finish.  
Second race—1. Anne, William Rockner, 10 minutes 8 seconds; 2. Ellen, W. A. Tracy, 10 minutes 20 seconds; 3. Sally, Todd and Adams, 11 minutes 8 seconds; 4. Sally, H. London, did not finish.

BOWLING CLUBS.

LOCAL TEN PIN ENTHUSIASTS  
ORGANIZE ON OAKLAND ALLEYS.

The interest in bowling continues unabated and many new clubs have come into existence during the past few months. Last night two new clubs were organized and they will roll their games on the Oakland bowling alleys on Thirteenth street.

The Metropolitan Bowling Club is composed of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Whiting, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bittel, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Peck, Wallace Peck and Baby Whiting. The Sunset Bowling Club is composed of George K. Mathes, Charles Taylor, Frank Peterson, Robert Albert, Leo Ward and Albert Johnson.

ODD EFFECT OF CONCUSSION.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Curious evidence bearing on the effects of concussion of the brain has been heard, cables the London correspondent of the Herald, at the inquest over Rev. W. W. Noble, who killed himself after a fall from his bicycle. The accident was not serious but the minister evidently suffered from concussion of the brain, say the doctors. While dressing later he found a revolver in a drawer, the sight of which impelled him to use it, following partial concussion, said one medical witness, "when an object suggests to the sufferer its immediate and practical use. If a spade be found for instance, he would begin to dig. In this case the impulse to shoot was merely involuntary."

ALL DANGER OF ILL EFFECTS  
ARE PASSED—FITZ MAKES  
AN OFFER.

The sports over at Harbin Springs are on Easy street again since they have learned that all danger of blood-pooling resulting from the bear wound has passed. Jeffries tore the bandage off his leg just to show what a trivial matter it was to him. He has resumed active training again, and everything is now going on exactly as before the "scare." Yesterday the champion tilted out his bad leg by jumping one 100 times without stopping.

Regarding his old trainer's coming out from the East, Coach Corbett said that is not worried and Fitz thinks it a huge joke. "Phaw!" said Bob contemptuously. "He couldn't teach Corbett anything. He never taught Jeff to single move. Jeff is just a natural fighter and it's no use any one trying to teach him the game. When a man is fighting he has to watch the fellow in front of him and he can't listen to words from his corner. If he does try to be usually gets a clout on the side of the head that wakes him up. I wouldn't be able to do anything myself for Jeffries, and I know more than all of them. Jeff has liked me since that is enough. He is not looking for advice. All he has to do is hit Corbett and it will be all over. Tommy Ryan can't prevent that, and no one knows it better than Tommy himself."

Bob Fitzsimmons and his bride arrived at Harbin Springs night before last and were received most royally by about 200 enthusiastic admirers who came to Madison to greet him. When called on for a speech, he announced the following impromptu address prepared for the occasion:

"Ladies and Gentlemen: I consider James J. Jeffries to be the greatest fighter in the world and I am not too modest to assert that I am the superior of every other man that is in the game today. No matter what happens to Jeffries, there will be no postponement of the big fight from August 15th to August 22nd. This means that if this or any other trouble should stop him from climbing through the ropes that night as a contestant, I will take his place."

Fitz is contemplating going on the stage in the autumn with a new play that is very melodramatic. He will be the hero who takes the place of a prize fighter who has been drugged so as to secure a \$10,000.00 wager.

The hero goes into the ring, and, of course, wins out and marries the girl of his choice.

PERMIT GRANTED.

NEIL AND FORBES WILL MEET IN  
SAN FRANCISCO AUG.  
UST 13.

The Board of Supervisors of San Francisco county have granted the special permit to the Yosemite Club to hold a benefit boxing contest to liquidate the bills accrued by the illness of Frank McDonald. This means that the match between Frankie Neil and Harry Forbes will take place on the evening of August 13th, the night before the Corbett-Jeffries affair.

CORBETT DOES NOT BELIEVE  
JEFF IS SERIOUSLY  
INJURED.

Over at Corbett's Garden in Alameda that story about the same bear seriously injuring Jim Jeffries is regarded as a myth. Corbett evidently thinks that the champion is afraid of him and has invented the injury tale as an excuse for delaying the fight.

"Now, he will not play any such game as that on me," said Corbett. "I have been training for the bout over a year, and Jeffries knows it. He is aware that I am in great, yes, I grand shape, and he wishes to avoid putting on the gloves. Well, he can do one of two things—either fight or forfeit. It takes no difference to me which horn of the dilemma he chooses, for I am out in the out one will be the same. I prefer, however, in the interest of the sport that he should not flunk out of a match by defaulting. For myself I will say that I would much prefer to go down to a genuine defeat than to escape a beating by tucking the responsibility on a poor lame bear."

Tommy Ryan has been keeping Corbett company in doing the strenuous training ever since the former arrived on the coast. The clever middleweight is getting into pretty good fighting trim and has expressed himself that he will soon be able to take on a y in his class, who is looking for trouble. Tommy is not very particular who his meets, but he has an idea that Jack Corbett would make a most excellent opponent. Such a match would be a great drawing card for any sporting club's entertainment.

BOTH BOYS ARE  
CONFIDENT.

BRITT AND O'KEEFE ARE NEARLY  
DOWN TO WEIGHT AND ON  
EDGE.

Jack O'Keefe, when interviewed yesterday concerning his coming fight on Friday evening with Jimmy Britt, said he felt very confident of getting the decision over his opponent.

"I did not," he remarked, "make this trip to California, or the purpose of being whipped. In the bouts in which I engaged at Portland and Eureka I convinced all who saw me perform that I was at least Britt's equal. In addition I thoroughly convinced myself that I am his superior. I intend on Friday night to put into practice all the knowledge I possess of the game of give and take and expect it to result in putting Jimmy down and out."

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Massachusetts College  
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GENTLEMEN—A rumor having reached me that your product, "FORCE," contained injurious ingredients, I took the occasion to analyze it, in the interest of my own family and of some friends who are liberal users of it. It may interest you to know that I found it consisted exclusively of Whole Wheat, Barley and Salt, and is absolutely free from any injurious elements whatever. Permit me to express my sincere regret that such a serious and baseless rumor should gain footing with the public. You are free to use this letter in any way that will help to do your product justice. Yours truly, WILBUR L. SCOVILLE.

Massachusetts College  
of Pharmacy. Boston, June 30, 1903.  
To Whom It May Concern: At the invitation of The "FORCE" Food Company, of Buffalo, I have visited their Mills and made a careful examination of the materials from which "FORCE" is prepared, and the processes which convert it into its finished condition. I found that "FORCE" consists exclusively of what my previous analysis indicated, viz.: Whole Wheat and Barley, with a seasoning of Table Salt, flaked, cooked and sterilized by 300 degrees of heat. A feature of the manufacture which impressed me considerably was the fact that the process is entirely mechanical, the food being prepared, cooked and boxed by machinery, without ever coming in contact with the hands or clothing of the mill operatives. I was also gratified to note that an experienced chemist daily supervised the entire output, and that each day's manufacture was also tested by an expert cook. Signed, WILBUR L. SCOVILLE, Professor of Theory and Practice of Chemistry.

Chemical Laboratory,  
University of Buffalo. HERBERT M. HILL, Ph. D., Analytical Chemist and Attorney.

June 26, 1903.  
The "Force" Food Company, Buffalo, N. Y.: GENTLEMEN—In view of the rumors regarding the alleged adulteration of "FORCE," it has been a satisfaction to me to visit your Mills, investigate, and analyze your product. You are free to publish this statement made over my signature, that I found "FORCE" to be absolutely pure, consisting solely of Whole Wheat and Barley, flavored with table salt, and free from any injurious substance whatever. I examined, in detail, the various steps in the manufacture of your product, such as the steam cooking, the flaking and the roasting, as well as the packing, and find all to be remarkably clean and of absolute healthfulness. The final roasting is done at a temperature above 300° F., which, with the steam cooking, completely sterilizes the product, and the entire process, from the first step to the final sealing of the package, is a mechanical one, the product at no time coming in contact with the hands or clothing of the persons handling the packages or packages. Very respectfully, HERBERT M. HILL, Chemist to the City of Buffalo.

See page 145 of "Cereal Breakfast Foods," Bulletin No. 34, of the Maine Experiment Station, a State Institution, which has analyzed "FORCE" with other foods, in the public interest. Copy will be mailed free on request. Refer also to Canadian Government Bulletin 84 on similar subject, pages 6 and 30, for analysis showing that "FORCE" consists entirely of the most wholesome and nutritious ingredients. Any inquiries concerning this subject will be cheerfully answered by THE "FORCE" FOOD COMPANY, Buffalo, N. Y.

WILL WITNESS BIG MAUSOLEUM FOR  
FIGHT. THE SKAES.

"PARSON" DAVIS COMING WEST  
FOR CORBETT-JEFFRIES  
MATCH.

WIDOW OF BONANZA MINER TO  
DEMOLISH OLD VAULT IN  
MOUNTAIN VIEW.

NEW YORK, July 28.—The will of Mrs. Alice Skae, a California widow, who committed suicide July 6th at a hotel in this city, has been filed for probate. Mrs. Skae directed that the burial vault at Oakland, Cal., in which her husband and two children are entombed, be taken down by her executor and a new one erected at a cost of \$25,000. She leaves the residue of her estate in trust for her daughter, who is to receive the income for life.

The Mrs. Skae referred to above is not known by people who have come to reside in California in recent years. She belonged to the days of the Comstock mining craze and, with her husband, shared a fortune which was the outcome of judicious financial investment at the time. This was a fortune which, while in a measure impaired, was not frittered away like that of so many of the people of those bonanza days whose prodigality or greed led to monetary disaster. The husband, who deceased in life was familiarly known as "Johnny" Skae among the bonanza men and the army of adventurers who emulated their example but failed to duplicate their success. He died a number of years ago and

was buried in Laurel Hill cemetery, San Francisco. A couple of his children then followed him to the tomb. Meanwhile Mrs. Skae took up her abode in New York City, where, it seems, she terminated her life in a violent manner on the National holiday.

The vault in Mountain View cemetery, to which reference is made in the foregoing telegram, was constructed twelve or fifteen years ago. It is located in one of the most exclusive sections of the local city of the dead, being almost directly opposite the Crocker mausoleum. Soon after it was completed Mrs. Skae had the remains of her children and husband transferred to it. The vault attracts no attention from the passerby because it does not appear above the surface. It consists of a capacious chamber formed of concrete walls with an iron and concrete floor. It is entered through an opening in the roof. Over the roof has been strewn a layer of earth about three feet in thickness and on this has been raised and maintained a perpetual green sward. There is no indication of those who sleep beneath. The demolition of this old receptacle for the dead, it is believed, will be followed by a modern structure and more in keeping with those which abound in that locality. It will include among its occupants the widow whose devotion to her dead ones led her to place money at the disposal of her executor for the purpose of fashionably housing them and herself now that they have passed away.

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SALOONKEEPER IS  
KNOCKED UNCONSCIOUS.  
BERKELEY, July 28.—George Marston and William Heinikamp were arrested last night and taken to the Oakland police station on a charge of assaulting William Peterson, a saloonkeeper whose place of business is located on San Pablo avenue and Channing way. At least it is charged that Marston assaulted Peterson, beating him on the head with a beer bottle and knocking him unconscious. Heinikamp was found with Marston on a San Pablo car and the two were taken into custody. They will be held pending instructions from the sheriff.

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## VILLAGE CARRIED AWAY

POSTMASTER SCHMIDT OF BERKELEY OBJECTS TO MOVING OF INTERNATIONAL.

Postmaster George Schmidt of Berkeley applied to the District Attorney of Contra Costa County at Martinez yesterday for warrants for the arrest of Robert B. Mott, vice-president and W. I. Sedgley, manager, of the defunct International Explosives Company, who, he says, tried to take possession of the little town one night last week. The District Attorney would not credit the story at first, but later decided to make an investigation.

Yesterday nearly all the village of International was piled upon flat cars in the shape of splintered boards, windows, timbers and knot holes. It was taken to Alameda where it was loaded upon lumber wagons, then to Hayward where it will remain for a while.

It was on the orders of Robert B. Mott of this city that International was removed. He was one of the former owners of the village. Mott and Sedgley, the other man who is accused of moving the village, say that they acted upon legal advice and on orders of stockholders of the town in carrying International out of Contra Costa County, and that the move was made for the benefit of the creditors of the International Explosives Company, which corporation owned and controlled the village.

Postmaster Schmidt, who has a \$2000 mortgage on the town of International, is asking for an explanation of its removal.

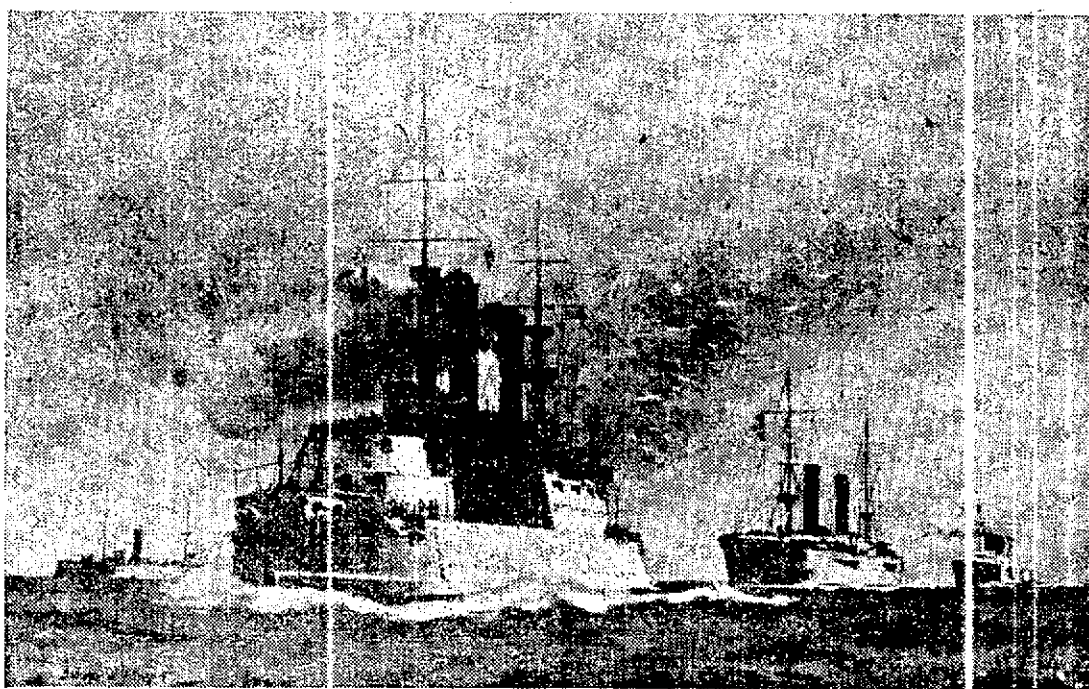
The board of directors which authorized the removal of the buildings is composed of P. E. White, H. C. Stillwell, Robert Mott, W. I. Sedgley and Frederick Dassen. They say the structures were worthless as they stood at International, the plant having been abandoned. Therefore the board decided to remove the buildings and put them up where they could be made serviceable.

Besides the dismantled buildings, the company's directors claim it has \$8000 of \$10,000 worth of chemicals on hand and has other property which will total \$20,000 in assets.

In reference to the matter Mott said last night:

"Schmidt is mistaken when he says that I am responsible for the removal of International. I was never at the plant and don't know where it was. I am a director in the International Explosives Company. The directors of that company held a meeting and decided it was to their interest to have the buildings removed from the location in Contra Costa County. Being engaged in the building business, I was requested to secure a man to supervise the moving of the buildings, and I got W. I. Sedgley to boss the job. I never went to International myself. Schmidt may believe that he had a mortgage on the entire plant at International, but he had no mortgage on the buildings. They were created after he had secured the mortgage and under a decision of the Supreme Court I think that it will be decided, if the matter is ever tried in court, that Schmidt has no claim whatever on the buildings."

## FRIENDLY VISIT TO GREAT BRITAIN.



MACHIAS. KEARSARGE. CHICAGO. SAN FRANCISCO. American ships that recently visited England. They comprise a part of the newly-formed European squadron. They made a very formidable showing on their friendly visit.

## RACING SEASON SERVICES HELD ACCORDED GREAT FINISHED FOR POPE RECEIPT ON.

RELANCE GOES TO BRISTOL FOR THOROUGH OVER-HAULING.

NEWPORT, R. I., July 28.—With the selection of the Reliance as the defender of the America's cup against the Shamrock III, the racing season for large boats off this port is practically finished. The Reliance left today for Bristol, where she will be thoroughly overhauled.

Commodore Bourne, of the New York Yacht Club, this morning said the Constitution would remain in commission until the cup races and would give the Reliance all possible assistance in tuning up. It is likely that the Columbia will go out of commission within a short time.

In reference to official measurements of the yachts, Commodore Bourne said that all figures were to be given when Reliance and Shamrock III are measured just previous to the cup races. The actual results of the twenty contests in which the Reliance, Constitution and Columbia have participated therefore will not be definitely known until that time.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 28.—Impressive memorial services for the late Pope Leo XIII were held in the cathedral today. The cathedral being the principal church of the country, the services had been arranged on a scale which would fully express the sorrow the hierarchy of the United States over the passing of the Pontiff. Among the prelates who officiated were the Papal delegate, Archbishop Falconio, and Bishops Donahue of Wheeling, Moughan of Wilmington, Van De Vyver of Richmond and Curtis, vicar-general of the diocese of Baltimore.

The Pontifical mass of requiem was attended by a vast audience, including many prominent residents. The sermon was preached by Bishop Donahue of Wheeling. Archbishop Falconio was celebrant of the mass. The musical program was one of the most classic which has ever been rendered in this country as a requiem service. The funeral decorations of the cathedral were solemn and the sanctuary was a mass of solid black drapery. Services were held at all the other Catholic churches in this city today.

LONDONDERRY, Ireland, July 28.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra were accorded a great reception on their arrival here today. Large crowds from the surrounding districts assembled to greet the first English sovereign who had ever visited Londonderry.

Their Majesties were met at the railroad station by the Mayor and corporation. The usual number of addresses were presented, replying to which the King expressed his pleasure in the reference to the spirit of good feeling and harmony pervading all classes in Ireland, adding that if his visit helped to extend and consolidate this feeling he would be richly rewarded.

ELECTRIC WIRING OF CITY HALL DANGEROUS.

A communication has been sent to Mayor Olney to the effect that the electric wiring of the City Hall is dangerous.

## CANNING PLANT GOES UP IN FLAMES

HUNDREDS OF CANS OF FRUIT DESTROYED—BUILDINGS DAMAGED.

The plant of the California Canning Association, located on the block bounded by First, Third, Fifth and Linden streets, was partially destroyed by fire early this morning, the loss being about \$5000 and covered by an insurance. While it is not known positively, it is believed that the flames started in the engine room from the brick work around the boiler becoming overheated as the plant was in operation until 1 o'clock this morning, it being the busiest time in the fruit season.

From the engine room the flames spread to the carpenter shop, partially destroying this building, then to the building in which the canned fruit is stored. Here the fire burned fiercely with the result that the structure and contents was totally consumed. The destruction of this portion of the plant means the loss of about \$2000 for hundreds of cans of fruit just put up were stored awaiting shipment to Liverpool, England.

Sparks from the burning buildings set fire to the roof of the packing house and to some of the other buildings comprising the plant, but the efficient work of the Fire Department prevented much damage from being done.

The principal loss is centered in the engine room. Here the two large engines used to conduct the work of the plant were totally destroyed, as were the pumps and other apparatus contained in the structure.

Aside from the property loss the company will be unable to resume operation for some weeks and as this is the rushing period in the fruit season and numerous orders are awaiting fulfillment, contracts will be defaulted and several thousands of dollars will be lost from this source.

The fire alarm was turned in at 1:37 a. m. from box 98 by Policeman Merrick. Almost at the same time another alarm was sent in by Special Policeman Olsen. Fire companies 2 and 3 of the West Oakland division responded and under the direction of Fire Chief Nick Ball and Assistant George McDonald, the fire fighting was commenced. Great streams of water were turned on the flames and from the time the alarm was sounded until 6 o'clock this morning the firemen worked hard and by their efforts saved much of the adjoining property.

The California Canning Association is under the charge of A. H. Hodges of 1165 Fifth street as superintendent. Formerly the plant was known as the Tillman Canning Company. Steps will be taken immediately to repair the damage and resume operations.

VETERAN WHEELS 700 MILES. SYRACUSE, N. Y., July 28.—On his way to Syracuse to visit his brother-in-law, Jeremiah Sullivan of Chicago, 65 years of age, a retired business man, has ridden seven hundred miles from Chicago to Buffalo, New York, on a bicycle and abandoned his wheel in the latter city only because of heavy rain. His average was one hundred miles a day. Sullivan is a veteran of the Civil War.

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obedience to those in authority. He must answer the call of the Governor of the State and render supreme obedience to the President of the United States. A soldier who reserves the right to disobey orders when he sees fit is not worth a farthing. His attitude implies contemplated disloyalty. A man that refuses to take an oath to support and obey the lawfully constituted authorities is out of place in the military ranks. We do not believe the majority of union labor men are in accord with the position taken in Texas. Certainly in California many of them are loyal members of the National Guard, and are prompt in the discharge of their duties. Perhaps local political prejudice has a great deal to do with

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C. Miller, Los Angeles; J. A. Farmer and  
wife, Vancouver; J. A. Travers and  
wife, Sacramento.  
**TOURNAINE**—Mr. and Mrs. T. R.  
Farnsworth, Milne.  
**BARBARA**—C. E. B. Farnsworth,  
E. Lindsay, R. D. E. Town, P. B. Redlock,  
Oakland.  
**BRUNSWICK**—J. W. Naughton and  
wife, Sacramento.  
**GALINDO**—Chas Owen and wife,  
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Pakula, H. Abbott, Sunol; C. Topiani,  
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Rev. G. W. Emigh for the  
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## The Late Summer All in Your Favor

If we were to judge by the weather and ignore the calendar we might easily suppose this to be the middle of June instead of the closing week of July. The necessity for Summer garments has certainly never been more apparent than now, which should ordinarily mean that seasonable goods are selling most briskly at regular prices. Yet reductions have been the rule for some weeks, and the final cuts in many departments have just been made.

### Cotton Dress Goods

In the fancy line every piece has been liberally cut—among them—

Fancy ginghams, patterns as good as any sold this season.  
25c gingham.....15c  
35c gingham.....25c  
Solid color linens, 35 inches wide, all colors; all 25c values.....15c  
Fancy lawns, some excellent patterns:  
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15c fancy lawns.....9c  
Fancy Oxfords, a good selection:  
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75c Oxfords, now.....60c

### Pillow Tops

These are special values; their artistic finish would almost justify asking twice the money.

At 25c—newly designed, tinted covers with backs; floral and conventional patterns.

At 50c—A new series of very cleverly executed heads in colors—altogether superior to the ordinary pillow-top head.

### Cords and Tassels

of all sizes and colors, ready-made for finishing cushion covers.

Schools Will Soon Be Opening  
and mothers will find many opportunities to save money.

Every straw hat, every misses' and child's walking coat and jacket, every colored dress has been most extensively reduced—and at a most opportune time.

### Table Linen Snaps

Odds and ends of Table Linen—of high grade, but limited in quantity—are being offered in the domestic department at big reductions; also several lots of half dozens of table napkins, all reduced fully one-third.

### Lots of Time for Waist Wearing

make the heavy cuts in this section of double value to you.

No matter whether you want a stylish waist in percale, gingham, chambray, Oxford, pongee or silk—or whether white or colored—it is here at a greatly reduced price.

### Silk Waists especially have been shorn of an extraordinary proportion of their price.

### That Muslin Petticoat Sale

which we have advertised so extensively is now in active progress.

Many of the first buyers have already returned for a second selection, which is the best recommendation we could desire.

The lot was so large, however, that there is yet a complete assortment of price. All these petticoats of all grades are reduced about forty per cent.

### Plucky Woman

CATCHES SWINDLER.

A dangerous swindler when the police of Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley have been looking for several weeks, was captured yesterday afternoon, through the perseverance and daring of Mrs. Charlotte Longfellow, wife of H. A. Longfellow, a coal merchant of 529 Third street.

The man is about 21 years of age and gives the name of James Franklin.

While walking along Sixth street, Mrs. Longfellow saw and recognized the man and followed him to Sausalito, where he was seen on Sixth street, near Washington street. When he saw her approach, Franklin started to run, but Mrs. Longfellow was too quick for him and grabbed him. The man tried to wrench himself free, but could not. Mrs. Longfellow called for help and a policeman was sent for. A policeman soon appeared who took the man in custody.

In speaking about the matter, Mrs. Longfellow said:

"This man has swindled me out of \$7.00 on a worthless check, and I was determined to catch him. He came to my store and ordered coal sent to 814 Grove street and offered to pay cash for it, but afterward tendered a check for \$15 signed J. T. Weston. My husband and I were both in the office and he gave the customer \$7.00 in change. After the man had left I became suspicious and told Mr. Longfellow to go out and look for the check passer.

"I went down to 814 Grove street and inquired about the neighbor hood, finding that no Weston lived at that place. Then I returned and set out myself. At Sixth and Washington streets I saw the man and I followed him as he went into Sausalito's place. Going right up to him I said:

"There's some mistake about this check you gave me."

"Is there?" he replied. "Well, here's four money back."

"I want the money," I said, "but I want you, too, grabbing him and started to run. He struggled and tried to get away, but I held on to him and yelled for help."

Mr. Satchern ran to my assistance and then the police came. It was simply a case of a thief trying to get away, and I was bound to do my duty."

The police say their prisoner has been passing worthless checks for some time and that he is the same man who was arrested in Franklin got \$5.00 from W. D. McDonald, a coal dealer at Sixth and Washington streets, and John Brannan, Sixth street and University avenue, Berkeley, has a complaint against the ubiquitous check man. There are many others who have requested to identify Franklin as soon as they can be notified.

### BREAD RIOT

AMONG JEWS.

NEW YORK, July 28.—A "bread riot" has occurred in Newark, N. J., owing to the strike of Hebrew bakers who demand a holiday on Saturdays. The supply of unleavened bread having become exhausted, two Hebrews journeyed to New York and returned with two wagonloads. They were quickly held up by a clamoring throng of hungry persons and a raid on their stock was made. Men and women fought their way to the wagons and a riot was provoked when a number of men began throwing bread into the crowd. Many persons were knocked down and trampled upon and several women were carried fainting out of the crowd. The police appeared when the trouble was at its height. After a vigorous fight they dispersed the rioters.

### NEW DEPOT AT FIRST STREET.

The Southern Pacific Company will erect a new depot at the corner of Broadway and First streets. The deeds for the property, which formerly belonged to the Adams heirs and which is 50 by 77 feet in size, were recorded yesterday.

The plans for the depot have already been drawn and work will be commenced at once.

### PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

JOHN W. PHILLIPS RETURNS FROM HIS EASTERN TRIP.

John W. Phillips, president of the Grayson-Owen Company and vice president of the California Bank, returned Saturday from a two months' business trip to the Eastern States. Mr. Phillips, during his absence, visited most of the principal cities of the United States. He says the country is enjoying an era of prosperity throughout its length and breadth. That California is much talked of east of the Rocky mountains, and the influx of fall and winter tourists to this coast will be exceptionally large the coming season. Mr. Phillips is much improved in health, the trip being of much benefit to him.

### TRIBE OF BEN HUR.

At the meeting of Ben Hur Court, No. 12, last Friday evening, six applications were presented and six candidates initiated. Slater Raymond acting as Mother Hur and Brother George as Ben Hur. A committee was appointed, consisting of Brothers Deschuy, Nelson and Mowrey and Sister Jackson, to arrange for a dance to be given Friday evening, August 7. Many visitors from Oakland Court, No. 6, were present.

### MISS BARBAGELATA MARRIED.

The marriage of Miss Amelia V. Barbagelata of Oakland and James H. Anderson took place recently in this city. Mrs. Veva M. Hawkins, a sister of the bride, was mother of honor, and Eugene F. Bert acted as best man. Mr. Anderson has been the cashier of the Milwaukee Mechanics Insurance Company for many years. After a short wedding tour Mr. and Mrs. Anderson will reside in this city.

### SURPRISE PARTY.

Charles Wright was given a pleasant surprise last evening when a few of his friends called upon him at the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wright, at 317 Twenty-fourth street. The guests were entertained with instrumental and vocal music. Cards and other games were played during the evening, after which refreshments were served. Among the guests were Misses Edna and Milly Raleigh, Gladys Pittman, Edward Campbell and Frank Barker.

### BIRTHDAY DINNER.

General and Mrs. Long will give a birthday dinner next Friday evening. Elaborate preparations have been made and covers will be laid for twenty-seven guests, mostly school-day friends of Mrs. Long. General Long will leave for the East next week, but Mrs. Long will remain until the summer is over.

### PERSONALS.

Miss Florence Rice and Miss Ethyl Shaw have gone to Santa Cruz to spend several weeks.

Miss Mildred Eddy, daughter of Mrs. A. W. Eddy of 1716 Valdez street, sailed on the steamer Pomona Tuesday for Europe to visit relatives and friends. Miss Eddy expects to be gone a month.

R. S. McHenry, connected with Woodward, Watson and Company, is now spending his vacation at Catalina Island. He reports catching a tuna weighing forty pounds.

William A. Prole, local representative of the National Cash Register, has just returned from a business trip to Los Angeles. During his short visit he went to Catalina Island for a day, where he says many Oakland people are quartered.

Miss Flossie Goldwater, the 2-year-old daughter of I. Goldwater, residing at Eighth and Market streets, is just recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Miles W. Beck, son of Mrs. S. J. Beck of 166 Twenty-second street, was severely carried away a month ago by Miss Jessie J. Woodville of Los Angeles.

Mr. Beck has for some time been traveling for a San Francisco firm and it was on one of these business trips that he met his fair bride. When he went to Los Angeles on business about the first of June, the wedding date was fixed for June 3, and on that day, the couple were married by Justice Pierce. After the ceremony the couple left Los Angeles for San Francisco, where they have since resided. They have visited in Oakland several times since but the fact that they were married was not made known until Saturday.

Miss Jessie Sherwood, after a visit with friends in Salinas City, has returned to her home in Oakland.

W. T. Baxley of Berkeley is a guest at the Napa Hotel, Napa.

F. J. Pazak, representative of the Northwestern Telephone and Telegraph Company, has returned from a business trip to Hamilton.

John Campbell is visiting friends in Woodland.

Mrs. Martha Washington, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Virginia, left Woodland last week for Berkeley, where they will in the future reside.

Arthur J. Sullivan, Sheridan and

mother, who have been visiting in Oakland and San Francisco, have returned to their home in Colusa.

Miss Anna Bradley, a teacher in the Oakland schools, is visiting her parents in Fresno.

Miss DeLoe is in Napa, the guest of Miss Briggs.

Howard Foster of Santa Cruz is making a few days' visit in Oakland and Berkeley.

Mr. E. H. Baker is in Oakland visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lehl are visiting friends in Woodland.

Miss Susie Price, who has been visiting in Woodland, has returned to Oakland.

Misses Maud and Georgina Wilson, after a visit with friends in Oakland and San Francisco, have returned to their home in Stockton.

Miss Rose Bloomer is spending a few weeks with friends at Arcata.

W. H. George visited in Vallejo recently.

Misses Josie and Jennie Louden of Vallejo are visiting friends in Oakland and Alameda.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith and their children, Miss Annie Tuley Smith and Master Holmes Smith, are visiting Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. C. H. Holmes, at Santa Rosa.

Mrs. B. D. Egery and her son, John, have returned to their home in Vallejo, after a two weeks' visit with relatives in Oakland and San Francisco.

A friend was in Colusa recently on business.

J. J. Perry is attending to business in Chico.

Mrs. Bronson was a recent visitor at the Park Hotel, Chico.

Miss Gordon is a guest at the Napa Hotel, Napa.

T. J. Callaghan and Joe Jones are in Napa, guests at the Napa Hotel.

E. J. Fitzgerald and F. W. Boulton are guests at the Palace Hotel, Napa.

Miss Alma Caloney is in Grass Valley visiting friends.

Earl S. Bingham is visiting in Santa Cruz.

Sergeant Green of the police force is spending a few days in Santa Cruz.

Mrs. John W. Statton is at Santa Cruz, spending a week with Mrs. F. W. Lucas.

Mrs. Harriet Shelton and daughter, Miss Lulu of Woodland, are visiting friends in Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. William Murder and son, William, and Miss Clara Ingraham visited in Santa Cruz last week at Point Richmond recently.

Frank Robinson visited relatives at Hollister recently.

H. N. Taylor was in Hollister recently visiting old friends.

Mrs. M. A. Whidden is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. A. Cunniff, and Miss Alice Leathman at Hollister.

Miss Lena Klefcorff visited Miss Nannie Kelly at her home in Stockton recently.

Everett Harris is visiting the Cox family at Petaluma.

Mrs. Harvey and two daughters have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Thompson at Sebastopol.

Mrs. W. E. Whalen and children are visiting Mrs. Whalen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cook at Hen Island.

Miss Truesdale Zartman and Walsh of Petaluma were recent visitors in Oakland and Hayward.

A party of young people, prominent in Oakland's social circles, left Saturday for a few days' outing at Willow Camp. Among the party were Miss Florence Darby, Miss Amy Carr, Miss Eleanor Olney, Miss Maud Jackson and Miss May Jackson.

George P. James has returned from an extensive surveying trip in Southern Oregon with the United States Geological Survey.

Newell Forrest and Benjamin Tuttle, the well-known violinists, returned last week from a month's outing at Wawona and the Yosemite.

Mrs. J. V. Leibold and Miss Cella Van Tassel of Colusa are visiting friends in Oakland.

Mrs. H. C. Watkins and daughter, Alice, of Woodland, are in Oakland visiting friends.

F. Nickerson is a guest at the Revere House, Eureka.

William Wilson of Alameda is in Eureka, registered at the Revere House.

A. M. Walters is a guest at the Angelus Hotel, Los Angeles.

Edith of Colusa is a guest at the Hollenbeck Hotel, Los Angeles.

John A. Ackerman is in Los Angeles a guest at the Hollenbeck Hotel.

E. J. Schilling and wife of Alameda are guests at the Hollenbeck Hotel, Los Angeles.

P. Follows is a guest at the Nadeau Hotel, Los Angeles.

J. H. Davis and wife of Alameda are visiting friends in Nevada City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Parcells are in Nevada City visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edna V. Grossman are in Nevada City visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Smith.

Mrs. William Kallenberger of North Bloomfield is visiting friends in Oakland.

Miss Maud Swan of Hollister is visiting friends in Berkeley.

Mrs. M. B. Ringot is in Hollister looking after property interests.

E. W. Helms and wife of Hollister are visiting in San Francisco and Alameda.

R. F. Grauss was a recent visitor in Calistoga.

Mrs. Cruise and niece are in Calistoga visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Connor.

Miss Norma Eastman of Berkeley is in Calistoga visiting at the home of her uncle, H. L. Gibbs.

J. J. Thompson was a recent visitor in Chico.

Miss Swaine who has been making a two weeks' visit in Santa Cruz has returned to her home in Oakland.

Many new turns at Idora Park.

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Idora Park is located on Telegraph avenue and Fifty-second street. Take Telegraph avenue or Shattuck avenue cars.

### TRIBUTE TO THE LATE P. M'ARTHUR.

Tribute to the memory of P. M. Arthur, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

And he is gone. Like great Elijah, Has passed beyond the reach of sight. We hear the whirr of chariot wheels, The mantle worn so modestly, Falls from his shoulders; Who can fly wear it after him? As he goes up without a struggle, Unto his great reward.

Our hearts are faint and weary, As we think upon our loss, And try to fathom measure up The worth of such a life. He "ruled his spirit" with such modesty That he became a potent ruler Of the minds and hearts of men, And swayed them for the public peace.

His was no common empire, Men of brawn and brain, into whose hands Society's most sacred trusts Had been committed, were his subjects. Their cars were open to his counsels, They knew and loved, and trusted him As one whom corporations could not awe, Nor glittering gold make false.

He calmly stood unmoved, Mid angry strife and raging passion, And bitter conflict of opinion; And pointed out "The Better Way," So clearly and convincingly, That all were glad to walk in it. And recognized in this brave man Of modest mien, an unrecognized King! MARTIN LUTHER REIGER, Oakland, July 28, 1903.

### ATTORNEYS SUE DEFAULTING CLERK.

Lawyers are after the money taken by Julius A. Jorgenson, the defaulting bank clerk of Denmark, now held in the County Jail in this city. To this end suit was begun today in the Justice's Court against Jorgenson for \$200 by Barry and Brady of San Francisco, who wish to take this amount out of the \$200 left of the \$500 Jorgenson took of the bank's funds. Of this amount \$300 is in the Central Bank and \$200 in the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank. An attachment was levied on the money and the suit brought against Jorgenson.

H. H. Birkholm, the Danish Consul at San Francisco, appeared in Justice Quinn's Court and claimed the money on behalf of the Danish Government. It was shown that the money was under the control of the United States Marshal, and could only be attached through his acquiescence in the matter. So far as the Justice's court here is concerned, it has jurisdiction over Jorgenson as he was arrested in this county and can render judgment against him for anything up to

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### GAS LITIGATION SETTLED.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., July 28.—A decision has been handed down by Judge Ray in the United States Circuit Court involving \$1,500,000. Jacob Edwards, one of the principal stockholders of the Day State Gas Company of Delaware, brought an action against the Mercantile Trust Company of New York and the Day State Gas Company of Delaware to set aside an agreement between the defendants and others through which it is alleged, capital stock of the Day State Gas Company of Massachusetts was illegally transferred through mistake to the Mercantile Trust Company of New York when it was intended and should have been transferred to the Day Gas Company of Delaware.

From a clerical error the action has grown into an intricate piece of litigation. A demurrer to the complaint was filed by the Mercantile Trust Company, and this is upheld.

### FATALLY INJURED IN A FALL.

As a result of jumping from an elevator at 316 Twentieth street, San Francisco, J. A. Tyler, of 321 Twentieth street, this city, was fatally injured yesterday afternoon.

Tyler, who was employed as a deliveryman for the Empire Malt Company, San Francisco, was playing some games on the elevator and got on to accompany them up stairs. When the elevator reached the second floor, Tyler, for some unaccountable reason, jumped off. He was caught between the floor of the







# MUCH IRON AND LUMBER

LARGE QUANTITIES OF MATERIAL USED IN BUILDING CAR FLOATS.

Although the big barges being constructed for the transportation of cars about the water front—and which, by the way, are not to be called "barges" at all, but "Car Floats"—look and are immense, the more superficial observation of them conveys to the ordinary observer no adequate conception of the labor employed in their construction of the enormous amount of material that is required for their completion. When ready to take on their loads there will have been used in these twin floaters upwards of a million feet of the very best lumber, and more than one hundred tons of iron in the nails, bolts, etc. As they are not yet ready to have the "completed" mark affixed to them it is impossible to tell the cost of the labor, but it will amount to a goodly sum.

A ROYAL TIME AT A CHRISTENING.

Children of kings are not the only ones that bring joy to the household upon their arrival, as was indisputably evidenced last Saturday night when a large and happy party gathered at the home of Tim Hines to help him celebrate the coming of a son and heir and properly usher in the christening day. It was a clear Galway event, and one that will be long remembered by all who assisted in making it the jolliest time it proved to be. There was music and dancing and banquets. The violin was coaxed to give forth its sweetest strains by Mr. J. Moran, and the manipulation of Mr. John Quinn caused mellow notes from the flute to fall upon delighted ears. William Irvine exhibited to admiring eyes the ease with which he could perform the steps of the Irish quadrille, and the Galway blood coursing through the veins of the merry-makers was made to tingle when T. Hynes danced the lively of hornpipe and Martin Slattery the High Call Cap.

The name agreed upon for the boy in whose honor they had assembled was John Thomas Hynes, and on Sunday it was given him in due and regular form. Those who were present and assisted in the festivities were: Mr. and Mrs. M. Slattery, Mr. and Mrs. B. Irvine, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kneer, Mr. and Mrs. Van Boden, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gilmore, Miss Mary O'Malley, Miss Della Hynes, Miss Hynes, Miss Dugan, Miss Molloy, Mr. and Mrs. J. Moran, Tim Costello, Thomas Kneer, Martin Connelly, William Irvine, Thomas Hynes, Patrick Connelly, and John Quinn.

THE LITTLE THINGS THAT MAKE THE DAILY RECORD.

Billy Norton, who has been absent a few days on a vacation, has returned and can be found "at the old stand."

Marshall Rutherford, who manipulates the brass shaving machine, has invented and applied to it a simple and useful separator that is a credit to his genius as well as a saver of the shavings that have heretofore littered the floor and been wasted.

Yesterday there was a rumor at the shops that a big fire was raging in the timber yard near Shasta, and the boys were saying that John Myrick would be right in his element and could show the denizens of that section how fire should be fought scientifically.

Patricia, the blacksmith's helper who injured his hand so badly a few days ago, determined he would not let the idle two whole weeks, and though the wound is not healed by any means he reported for work and was assigned to duty yesterday.

John Smith has been promoted to use No. 1 in the big blacksmith shop. Jack Flynn has returned from his trip over the Sierras and went to work yesterday. He reports having had a splendid time at Ogden, Salt Lake, and elsewhere, and that every moment was full of pleasure. He takes hold of work, however, as if he was glad to get at it.

Boadley Myrick has returned from Shasta Retreat. Engine 2064 came in yesterday for heavy repairs.

The shop tool room is being renovated, and when in full working order again it will be in fact what its name indicates, and not part tool and part storage room. Fred Rice is expected shortly to take a needed vacation. He has been talking for a long time about going to New Orleans, and it is thought this will be his destination when he does lay off.

Peter Nordmann was not working yesterday, and A. Anderson, the extra man in the mill, was filling his place.

## "KNOCKERS" TAKE NOTICE

Our opponents in the business of selling soda water are sending out men (without any more principle than their employers) with stories to saloonmen that water sold in our small bottles (two dozen in a box) is not a Napa Soda Water. We will pay \$50 to any one who can prove that it is not a soda water from Napa county. All lovers of Napa Soda Water should insist on getting Priest's Napa.

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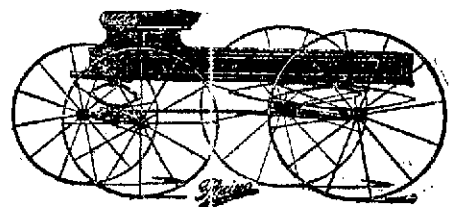
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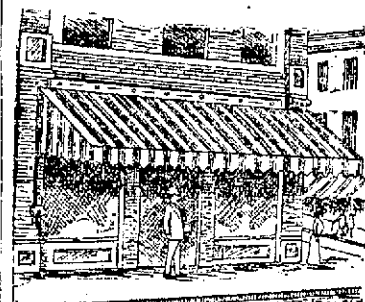
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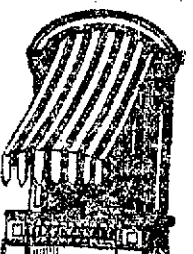
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PISTOL IN WRONG HAND. BERKELEY IS A QUIET PLACE.

ANOMALIES HARD TO RECONCILE APPEAR AT HOWARD'S INQUEST.

BERKELEY, July 28.—No conclusion was reached in the inquest over the remains of Captain Thomas Howard last night. The inquest will be taken up again tomorrow night, when the jury is expected to render a verdict. The delay last night arose from the fact that Charles Newman, a seafarer who is also interested in the Russ House in San Francisco, refused to turn over the personal effects and letters of the deceased, claiming that they were held as security for a small debt which Howard had failed to pay. Another subpoena has been issued for Newman, and tomorrow night he will be asked to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt.

R. W. Turner, the nephew of the deceased, was first called to the stand. He positively identified the remains as those of his uncle. Turned told of Howard's mining ventures and stated that he knew no reason that Captain Howard would have to commit suicide. In response to a question by Deputy Coroner Streight, the important point was then brought out that Howard was left-handed. When the body was found the pistol was in the right hand.

Other witnesses examined were Mrs. Albert Wilson, whose home is near the Greenan barn, where the body was found; C. E. Carman, who conducts a saloon at San Pablo avenue and Hillman street; A. W. Dutton, a ticket agent of the Southern Pacific in West Berkeley. Their testimony was not in any way different from the statements already made to the press by them.

W. H. Behrens, a business man residing in the Bella Vista Hotel, stated that Howard believed that the success of his schemes were being endangered by the machinations of some people in San Francisco, who, he said, were trying to "do" him, and to whom he referred as "scoundrels."

The testimony of Dr. Charles F. Gladding, the autopsy surgeon, was rather contradictory. First he stated that the fracture could not have been caused by external force and later that it might have been caused by a fall upon uneven ground.

J. P. Treanor testified that Howard had never indicated in any way to him that he intended taking his own life and that his temperament and disposition were optimistic rather than pessimistic.

At this point the inquest was postponed until Wednesday evening. The jurors were G. R. Hoesch, C. R. Leach, J. P. Lunsford, H. Martin, George Schmidt, C. H. Townsend, W. M. Kelly and John Fitzpatrick.

"THE PAGE THAT KILLS."

NEW YORK, July 28.—The strenuous life at Newport is making serious inroads upon the health of the young women, and a halt has been called by their parents or guardians, says the World.

Long before the dew is dry on the tennis courts at the Casino bright girls, minus hats and with flowing hair and arrayed in chic white gown with short skirts, assemble to play tennis and paralyze the squash courts.

The players, mostly women, play until lunch. Then comes the driving hour, a visit to the golf club, then a reception, and at night they are expected at dinners.

The strain is great and is particularly noticeable upon the weak frames of many of the debutantes. Several of the latter have been advised by their physicians to seek rest and are preparing to obey.

HORRIBLE CHINESE MURDER.

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 28.—News of the murder of a Chinese employed by the Pacific Northern Cannery on the Nis dver was brought down from the North yesterday. There was a great row in the Chinese quarter one night last week and the next morning the horribly mangled and disfigured body of one of the Orientals was found near the docks.

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MARSTON CAMPBELL TAKES VACATION.

HONOLULU, July 21.—Marston Campbell, formerly of Oakland, has resigned from the Department of Public Works and is about to leave for the coast on a vacation. There was a bitter fight against Campbell in the lower house of the Legislature, ending finally in the appropriation for the position he filled being stricken out. He was retained as an employee, however, and it is understood that he is to re-enter the department on returning from his vacation.

FAVOR PAYMENT TO GUY EARL OF \$1500.

At a meeting of the City Council in Committee of the Whole, last night, an ordinance appropriating \$1500 to pay Guy C. Earl for his services as an attorney in the suit of the Contra Costa Water Company against the city was recommended. When first presented the ordinance fixed the compensation at \$2500, but on consideration, the sum was reduced to \$1500.

LIGHTHOUSE ABOVE UNIMAK.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 23.—The San Francisco steamer Homer arrived yesterday from the Aleutian islands where she conveyed from Portland material and equipment for the lighthouse to be erected just above Unimak Pass on the Bearing Sea side. She returned by way of Dutch Harbor, leaving that port July 19th. Her officers report work on the lighthouse progressing satisfactorily.

The Homer will sail for Portland from which port she will probably take another cargo of lighthouse material for Alaska.

CHANGE COURSE OF STUDY.

COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION ISSUES NOTICE OF ALTERATIONS.

The following action was taken by the County Board of Education recently in regard to the course of study for the ensuing year and has been prepared in the form of a pamphlet, to be sent to the various teachers of the county for their guidance.

In the matter of English the study of "Enoch Arden" or the "Deserted Village" has been made elective. A new course in humane education and another in vocal music have been added to the course. Other changes have been made as follows:

Reading—No change except that the third reader of the national series be completed by the close of the first half of the third year.

Language—No change except the following substitute for the English of the eighth grade: English—"Snowbound," Whittier; "Legend of Sleepy Hollow," Irving; "The Building of the Ship," Longfellow; "Enoch Arden," Tennyson, or "Deserted Village," Goldsmith. Suggestions—Read these selections carefully in class. Hold pupils responsible only for the story and the descriptions of different kinds of scenery, life and character. Require brief biographical sketches of the authors. Practice continually in correct delivery. Teach the most common rhetorical figures—simile, metaphor, personification, metonymy—and examine the selections with reference to these. Require pupils to commit striking passages to memory—at least one selection a month. Lead pupils to enjoy what they read, and help them to select the best books for home reading.

Spelling—No change in the fourth, fifth and sixth years. Amended in the seventh year as follows: State speller pp. 127 to 182 inclusive. In the eighth grade—(a) State speller pp. 183 to 192 inclusive.

(b) Relating to the subject of grammar the following spelling lessons are to be reviewed: Lessons 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 383 and 384 in State speller also the spelling of the different forms of the irregular verbs found in State grammar, pages 275 to 279 inclusive.

The following spelling lessons relating to the subject of geography are to be reviewed: 331, 332, 345, 346, 347, 353, 354, 385, 386, 387 and 388 in State speller. In State speller learn lesson 408, and all mathematical terms used in the eight years' work.

The following "miscellaneous" spelling lessons are to be reviewed: Lessons 45, 46, 53, 54, 55, 64, 65, 66, 75, 77, 78, 88, 89, 90, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 133, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 202, 203, 204, 233, 243, 244, 245, 255, 256, 257, 273, 275, 280, 281, 284 and 285 in State speller.

Final eighth grade examinations will cover the work in spelling as above prescribed for the eighth year. Word analysis—No change. Dactyl—Specific work of eighth grade discontinued. No final examination in this subject.

Arithmetic—No change, except that Joy's "Arithmetic Without a Pencil" is recommended to the teachers as a teaching manual. (The book may be purchased from the library fund or from the county fund after an eight months' school has been taught.)

Geography—Readopted without change. History and Civics—Thomas' Elementary History recommended to teachers. (The book may be purchased from the library fund or from the county fund after an eight months' school has been taught.) Applicants for diplomas will be examined on the work in history from the first inauguration of Washington to the present time.

Ethics—No change. Humane Education—Teachers will consult "Lessons in Humane Education," by Emma E. Page. Part I is suitable for first and second years Part II, third, Part III, for fourth and fifth years; Part IV for sixth year.

This work is properly ethics applied. Physiology and Hygiene—Course readopted. Nature Study—Courses readopted.

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